

REMARKS

Claims 1, 3-9, 11-22, 24-26, 28-67 are pending in the application. Of those claims, Claims 32-52 and 59-67 have been withdrawn. To more clearly define the invention, Claims 1, 22, 25 and 53 have been amended to recite "immobilized" in place of "immobilizing". No new matter has been added. Reconsideration and allowance of the above referenced application is respectfully requested.

CONCLUSION

If any points remain in issue which the Examiner feels may be best resolved through a personal or telephonic interview, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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